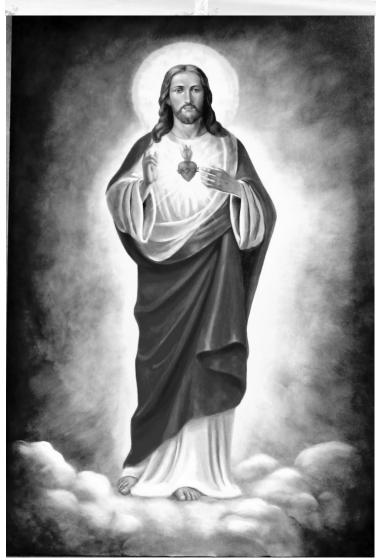
Sacred Heart Faith Communit



EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

WEEKDAY MASS

8:00am till 8:55am **Adoration before Mass** Tuesday—Friday 9:00 am Please turn to the next page for summer schedule.

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday 5:00 pm **Sunday** 8:30 & 10:00 am **Sunday - Polish** 12:30 pm **Sunday - Korean** 3:00 pm

OTHER KOREAN MASS TIMES:

7:30pm Wednesday 6:30pm **Thursday** 10:30am **Friday** 1st Saturday of the month 10:30am Please call the Parish Office for summer schedule.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00pm Or by appointment with Fr David

For Sacraments of Baptism, Anointing and Visiting the Sick and Marriage, contact Fr David Hogman. A minimum of six months notice prior to the marriage date is required.

Pastor Fr David Hogman

(frdhogman@gmail.com)

Polish Chaplain Fr Paul Szczur, SDS

Korean Pastor Fr John Heesun Lee

Parish Administrative Assistant/Secretary Katherene Newton

Coordinator of Religious Education for

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THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

A few words from our Pastor:-

On Wednesday, October 11, the Church celebrates the feast day of St. John XXIII. By all reports, Pope John (1958-1963) was intended as a "caretaker" pope. He was elected, not to create sweeping reforms, but to give a little stability. He did not do what was expected. Pope John convoked the Second Vatican Council on October 11, 1962 (-1965), which has had a significant effect on our Catholic life. There have been 21 Councils in the history of our Church where the world's Bishops gather to clarify the meaning of our faith. Vatican II can easily be placed in the top three Councils of importance with Nicea (325) and Trent (1545-1963). Our own Parish office was eventually named the Pope John Hall in thanksgiving for his brilliant legacy.

In April of 2014, Pope Francis (alongside Pope Benedict XVI) canonized Pope John XXIII and Pope John Paul II to symbolize the unity of our Church. To commemorate that occasion, Sacred Heart's Polish community commissioned a painting of Pope John Paul II for our Parish. To round out our collection, in union with our Polish community and other generous donors, we have now commissioned a similar painting of Pope John XXIII.

I had the dream of having a painting of one of our Parish patrons as we planned to update our Pope John Hall. It has proved to be a very difficult enterprise to renovate and renew our office space. How hard will it be to renew our worship space as the elements and life require? More importantly, how much harder will it be to renew our daily commitment to the Lord? It will not be easy, but with God's help, all things are possible. However, we must be prepared to do the Lord's will in our work rather than fulfilling our own desires. We do not need to remind God of what he needs to do; we need to open our hearts and our minds to answer his summons. However, we cannot answer this summons alone nor can we simply do it with our favourite kind of Catholics. We are one Church and in our corner of Victoria/Saanich, Sacred Heart is where we celebrate our Eucharist—our Thanksgiving. I am thankful for all of you and I will see you on Sundays.

Those who are ill.

Clovis Amando, Daphne Bowles, Dorothy Bailey, Arnie Cavanagh, Edmee Kearney, Ursula Lowe, Lois Marcoux, Shelagh Noonan, Ben Perri and Evangeline Williams.

Those who have deceased.

Cyril Curran, Marcel Jutras, Mike Short, Rosa Silletta and Mathilda "Tillie" Wilson.

CALENDAR	Tues	10 Oct	SH Christian Charity—Sorting & Pricing Funeral Mass—Mathilda "Tillie" Wilson	Parish Hall Church / Parish Hall	9:30am—11:30am 1:00pm
	Wed	11 Oct	SH Christian Charity—Sorting & Pricing CWL Executive Meeting	Parish Hall Pope John Hall	9:30am—11:30am 5:00pm
	Thurs	12 Oct	Funeral Mass—Rosa Silletta Bible Study—Matthew: The King & His Kingdom	Church / Parish Hall Parish Hall	1:00pm 6:30pm (Socials) 7:00pm (Course)
			CFC—Christian for Life Program (CLP)	Pope John Hall	7:00pm
	Fri	13 Oct	Christian Meditation	Pope John Hall	9:30am
	Sat	14 Oct	CWL General Meeting	Pope John Hall	10:00am

LITURGY, THE SACRAMENTS, PRAYER AND THE WORD OF GOD

Funeral Mass

There will be Funeral Mass, with reception for:-Mathilda "Tillie" Wilson on Tuesday, Oct 10 at 1:00pm Rosa Silletta on Thursday, Oct 12 at 11:00am Marcel Jutras on Tuesday, Oct 17 at 11:00am

Our Lady of Fatima Parish

October marks the end of the Centennial Year Light reception in the hall following the Procession. Celebrations at Our Lady of Fatima Parish. This month we honour the anniversary of the last apparition of Mary and of the Miracle of the Sun, witnessed by tens of thousands congregated in Fatima, Portugal in 1917.

Please join us on Friday, October 13th

6:00pm: International Rosary

(various languages represented from our community and throughout the Diocese)

7:00pm: Mass, including reverencing of a holy relic of Saint Jacinta Marto's dress, on loan from the Diocesan Archives. Candlelit Procession with the statue of Our Lady of Fatima following Mass.

Reminder to bring your white handkerchief to wave goodbye or 'adeus' to Our Lady, commemorative handkerchiefs will be available by donation.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND VOCATIONS

Diocesan Conference

Faith, Science and the Wonders of Creation

Bro. Guy Consolmagno SJ Vatican Astronomer and Director of the Vatican Observatory.

Sat, Nov 25, at St Edward the Confessor Parish, Duncan. Explore the nature of the relationship between Faith & Available online, at the Parish Office or Ivy's Bookshop. Science, and how that has changed from the time of Galileo.

Bishop Gary will celebrate Mass at 8:45 am.

To register, and for more information, please visit the Fri, Oct 20 at St Patrick's Lourdes Hall. Dinner at 6:00pm, Diocesan website: http://www.rcdvictoria.org.

Common Prayer: From Conflict to Communion

2017 Lutheran-Catholic Commemoration of the Reformation

Hope Lutheran Church on Sat, Oct 28 at 2:00pm in this Please note that there will be no classes Oct 9 and 12. rare opportunity for Catholics and Lutherans to worship together to pray for a common journey of faith at Hope Lutheran Church, 2174 Departure Bay Road, Nanaimo. Moms and dads at home with children under 5 are invited The parking lot is behind the church.

Sunday Adult Faith Formation

The Holy Rosary - Why and How to Pray

Held on Sundays from 11:15am to 12:00pm in the church till March, schedule of program with dates are posted on the board at the back of the church. All are invited.

Questions? Contact Victor at vic saavedra@hotmail.com

PARISH OUTREACH, SOCIAL JUSTICE AND ECUMENISM

Sacred Heart's Christian Charity Sat, Oct 21

We are accepting donations for the Used Clothing & Attic Treasures Fall Sale. Your support is always appreciated. Items can be dropped off at the Parish Hall, Tues & Wed mornings between 9:30am and 11:30am until Oct 18th. www.rcdvictoria.org. Contact: gpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org Please ensure they are clean and in good repair. If unable to make these collection times, please call Rita at 250-598-9558, for alternate arrangements.

CDs & DVDs to be sold at the Nov 4 Bazaar.

Please note that we are <u>not accepting</u> Harlequin novels, magazines, encyclopedias, VHS tapes or cassettes.

Book Sale—Thank you

After many years of service, the volunteers responsible for the Book Sale will be retiring after this year.

Thank you for the years of dedication, for a job well done!

Raffle

Raffle tickets for Sacred Heart's Christian Charity Bazaar Draw is available for sale at the Parish before and after every weekend Masses. We need ticket sellers, please sign-up on the sheet in the fover.

Sacred Sounds Sat, October 21st 7:30pm

As part of the St Andrew's Cathedral 125th Anniversary Concert Series, Vox Humana will perform Benjamin Britten's "Hymn to St. Cecilia" as well as works by Herbert Howells, James MacMillan, Vincent Persichetti, Arvo Pärt, & Urmas Sisask. Doors open @ 7pm at the Cathedral. Tickets: \$20, Free (25yrs and under).

Development and Peace

50th Anniversary Multicultural Dinner & Awards evening

doors open @ 5:30pm. All are welcome, ticket is \$10/pp. Sheila Wall: 250-686 5996, asheilawall@gmail.com; Nancy Stuart: 250-477 6952, nancy-stuart@shaw.ca.

Exercise with Beryl All are invited

Join Bishop Gary Gordon & Pastor Terry Richardson of Classes on Monday at 1:00pm and Thursday at 9:45am.

St Patrick's Parish Parents and Tots

to join our Parents and Tots group which normally meet on a Wed morning. The parents meet in the parish library for fellowship, faith sharing, or just chatting about the challenges of parenting. The children are cared for in the Lourdes Hall under the careful guidance of volunteer grandmas. Contact Nancy at nancy-stuart@shaw.ca or 250-477-6952. A Tuesday or Thursday meeting day could also be a possibility.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

Seattle Youth Convention

All young adults (grades 10-12) are invited to a fun, friendly, amazing event where over 1200 youth will gather in Seattle to experience their Catholic Christian faith in a deeper way. More information on the Diocesan Website

Pope Francis wants to hear from our youth!

In preparation for the 2018 October Synod on Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment, Pope We are also collecting books and commercially produced Francis is inviting all youth (16-29yrs) to give him important feedback by completing an online survey. Takes about 12 minutes to complete, access through website: www.rcdvictoria.org. Contact Glen Palahicky at gpalahicky@rcdvictoria.org, if you have any questions.

Happy & Blessed Thanksgiving!

DONATIONS

<u> 30th September & 1st October 2017</u>

Envelopes/Loose	\$4,010.25
PAD	\$1,193.00
Other Revenue	\$ 350.00
Total	\$5.553.25

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Altar Servers		3-440-3403
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Bazaar	Rita Kelly	598 9558
Christian Meditation	Margie Noonan	388-3173
Clothing Sale	Mary Bennett	477-5145
Craft Group	Elizabeth Olcen	477-8115
C.W.L.	Lidia Moodie	479-6495
Eucharistic Ministers	Robert / Helen Payne	370-0241
Finance Chairperson	Robert Payne	370 0241
Knights of Columbus	Steve Kearsey	370-0083
Led By The Spirit Group	David MacIntyre	383-9955
Music Coordinator	Rafael Oei	383-1523
Proclaimers	Catherine Minvielle	294-4923
Raffle Coordinators	Georgina Short	727-2615
	Susan Nawrocki 778	3 433-0199
	Lorraine van Dyk	385-5541
Social Justice/Dev & Peace	Margie Noonan	388-3173
St. Vincent de Paul	Georgina Short	727-2615
10am Ushers	Lisa Stearns	479-7145

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